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- In all probability, the Kucmintang (KMT) organization in Thailand will l. not "fight" the Communists. There will be a gradual shift in sentiment in the Chinese community toward the Communist regime in China. Once the Communists really set up their government, the Chinese in Thailand will jump on the band wagon.
- 2. The local KMT is retaining its organization but is staying very quiet. It will probably await further developments in China before fixing on a plan of action.
- Col. Hsiang-shu CHOU, former TAI Li agent in Bangkok, is still in Thailand. 3. Recently, he refused to return to China. His present activities are the subject of much speculation?

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Comment. , 10 June 1949, reported that CHOU heads the KMT underground in Burma, Thailand, and Singapore, but not in Malaya.

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